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LIVE POULTRY PRICES

	WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES			F.O.B. PRICES	
	NEW YORK	PHILA.	BALTIMORE	BOSTON	WASHINGTON
BROILERS UNDER 2 LBS	29½	29½	29-31		28
FRYERS 3 - 4 LBS	31	31	29-31	S	29½
ROASTERS 4 - 5½ LBS	34	34	33-34	E	
" 5½ LBS AND OVER	36	36	35-36	E	
STAGS	30½			C	
FOWL 4-5½ LBS	28½	28½	28½	M	
" 5½ LBS AND OVER	28½			E	
OLD ROOSTERS	21½			T	18-20
DUCKS	28½				

LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK CITY \*  
(POUNDS)

	FREIGHT	TRUCK DEALERS AT TERMINAL	TRUCK AND EXPRESS (DIRECT RECEIVERS)	TRUCK LONG ISLAND DUCKS	TOTAL TRUCK & RAIL
APRIL 1	86,972	192,677	278,198	6,680	564,527
SO FAR					
THIS WEEK	130,100	859,169	1,489,754	81,685	2,560,708
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LAST WEEK	84,567	728,320	1,209,573	78,090	2,100,550

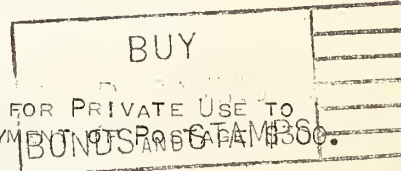
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NEW YORK: POULTRY - 1 CAR ARRIVED AT NOON TODAY, AND 1 CAR DUE TONIGHT AT LONG ISLAND CITY. BOTH CARS ARE CONSIGNED TO DIRECT RECEIVERS, AND NO OFFERINGS WERE AVAILABLE FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING. MARKET EXTREMELY FIRM UNDER SHORT SUPPLIES AND A BROAD DEMAND FOR ALL CLASSES OF GENERAL PURPOSE FOWL. TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL, FOWLS CONTINUED ACUTELY SHORT. TRADING ACTIVE FOR FEW FOWLS AVAILABLE, MODERATE FOR FRYERS AND ROASTERS EARLY, CLOSING SLOW. MARKET VERY FIRM ON FOWL, GENERALLY STEADY ON FRYERS AND ROASTERS, QUALITY CONSIDERED. THE 24½ TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON TODAY INCLUDED: 3¼ DELAWARE CROSS, ¾ MARYLAND CROSS, TOTAL 4 FRYERS; 12¾ DELAWARE CROSS, 3¼ MARYLAND CROSS, 1 W. VIRGINIA ROCKS, TOTAL 18 ROASTERS, 1 TENNESSEE, 1 VERMONT, ¼ VIRGINIA, TOTAL 2¼ FOWLS; ¼ PENNSYLVANIA MIXED WITH LEGHORN BROILERS AND RED AND ROCK PULLETS. PLUS 1 DELAWARE LOAD DUE. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING TODAY 199,890 LB PHILADELPHIA: FIRM ON 4 LBS AND UP SIZES OF FANCY QUALITY, STEADY ON BROILERS AND FRYERS. B GRADES AND BELOW DRAGGY BUT SUPPLIES EXPECTED TO CLEAR. FOWL SCARCE. BALTIMORE: LIVE POULTRY PRICES AND CONDITION UNCHANGED. BOSTON: NO PRICES ON POULTRY TODAY. POULTRY MARKET RULED FIRM AND SUPPLIES WERE SHORT. ONE SMALL LOAD OF SPRINGS WAS QUICKLY CLEARED UP. WASHINGTON: LIVE POULTRY MARKET FIRM, PRICES UNCHANGED.

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